

GERMANY MAY NOW GROW MORE HOSTILE TOWARD U. S.

FANGS OF ADMIRAL TO SHOW

Forecasted Diplomatic Victory of Admiral Von Tirpitz May Reverse Entire Conciliatory Attitude Toward the United States

MAY UNLOOSE MORE GERMAN SUBMARINES

Should Von Tirpitz Faction Prevail American Opinions Will Be Disregarded Unless British Blockade is Opposed

By C. W. Ackerman.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
Berlin, July 12.—The supporters of Admiral Von Tirpitz predict the overthrow of Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg, the champion of the conciliatory policy toward the United States, and the unloosing of the German submarines within three months, unless President Wilson, in the meantime, sets his machinery in motion against the British blockade.

Members of the conservative party and those favoring the annexation of territory by conquest, join in the above forecast. It is also said that the opinions of the American government will be disregarded under the new state of affairs.

The attacks on the German chancellor have gradually grown bolder since Prince von Buelow's book "Deutsche Politik" appeared, because the book is believed to be the opening wedge of von Buelow's campaign to oust Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg and step back into the position which von Buelow occupied until succeeded by Bethmann-Hollweg in 1909.

"Who is going to be your next president, Wilson or Hughes?" asked a liberal member of the Reichstag today. If it is Hughes he can be no worse than Wilson has been. The worst he can do is to declare war on Germany. This means an unlimited sub war against England. At present our navy is being held in a net of notes. What could the United States do? She could not raise an army to help the allies.

"Carrying on an unlimited sea warfare we could sink 600,000 tons of shipping monthly, paralyzing the land war," continued the liberal.

Bremen at Sea.
By United Press.
Baltimore, Md., July 12.—The United Press learned officially today that the Bremen, the sister ship to the German super-submarine Deutschland, is now at sea. The time of her arrival at an Atlantic port is being carefully guarded as a secret but it is believed that it will be within two weeks.

POLISH QUESTION DIFFICULT.

By United Press.
Berlin, July 12.—American Ambassador Gerard today transmitted to the foreign office the latest British suggestions regarding arrangements for feeding the starving inhabitants of Poland. The ambassador frankly admitted that he is discouraged at his inability to induce the two countries to reach an agreement.

\$150,000 TO FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

By United Press.
Washington, July 12.—The house appropriations committee today approved Secretary of the Treasury's McAdoo's request for a \$150,000 emergency appropriation to fight infantile paralysis in New York.

NOTICE.

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NAT JONES IS LAID TO REST TODAY

Mangled Body Brought in From Oklahoma City and Ceremony to Be Held at Residence of A. Horton at 5 P. M.

MAY NOT HAVE BEEN CASE OF SUICIDE

Jones Appeared to Be in Good Spirits Shortly Before Taking Fatal Leap; Unfortunate Love Affair Suggested

Funeral services for Nat Jones, who met instant death yesterday morning by jumping from the ninth story of an Oklahoma City building, are being conducted this afternoon at four o'clock at the residence of A. Horton, 901 South Third street, by Rev. E. R. Tels, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The men requested to act as pall bearers are Ben Morgan, Will Owsley, H. Ludlow, W. E. Smith, Dr. G. H. Thrallkill and Bob Estes.

Mr. McCauley, an uncle of the deceased, and Miss Reed, both of Ardmore, are in the city for the funeral. Undertaker Sid Anderson, accompanied by Tom Boyd and Paul Spining, returned last night from Oklahoma City bringing home the mangled remains.

Theories were advanced today that possibly Jones did not commit suicide but wished to get out of his room and was not familiar with the surroundings. Detective Mike Connors, who was laughing and joking with him only thirty minutes before the fatal leap, stated that he appeared normal and not at all despondent.

Dr. Edgington, under whose treatment Jones was, does not agree with this view, however. He suggests that the young man's motive for suicide may have been an unfortunate love affair and says that Jones had intimated that he was unhappy for some such reason.

Nat Jones was the son of Mrs. Pate Jones of near Lucile, and a grandson of Wilson T. Jones, former governor of the Choctaw tribe.

CITY IS IN GOOD SHAPE THIS YEAR

Surplus to Be Turned Over is Much Greater Than That Which Was Available in the First Month of Last Fiscal Year

At a meeting of the city council tomorrow night a very favorable condition in the city's financial affairs will be shown. The report, which is now in preparation by city officials, will relieve the members of the council of any anxiety over city funds for immediate use.

"We shall be able to turn over a nice sum for the use of the city this year," said Mayor Coffman this morning. "A much larger surplus than was available at the beginning of last year."

It is said that aside from the financial report only routine business will be transacted at this meeting.

RUSSO-JAP TREATY.

By United Press.
Petrograd, July 12.—Counsellor Kozatov of the department of foreign affairs today officially denied the charge that Japanese possible fear of the United States was the motive behind the Russo-Japanese treaty. He says the treaty was aimed at Germany.

NEW MEXICO'S CRACK BATTERY IN ACTION



The Roswell battery, the crack artillery organization of the New Mexico National Guard, which is now in active service on the Mexican border.

ALFALFA A REVENUE GETTER

Twenty-Two Carloads Shipped Last Week to Memphis by One Buyer and Eight Carloads Weighed Out Yesterday

Heavy shipments of alfalfa are being made from the Washita valley this season and farmers are reaping a harvest from their repeated cuttings. A large part of the production in the vicinity of Chickasha is being purchased by the four hay buyers of this city and consigned to Memphis, from which point it is being distributed among the cotton states. Last week a single buyer shipped twenty-two carloads to Memphis while the total consignments reached forty cars.

These heavy sales are due largely to the fine weather which has prevailed, thus allowing the farmers the best chance they have had at alfalfa for years," declared Lee McReynolds, the county weigher, this morning. Last year the heavy rains ruined most of the cuttings. Eight carloads of hay were shipped out of Chickasha yesterday and the week's shipments promise to be large.

The county weigher's duties these days are making it a night and day job but he managed to steal about three hours sleep last night. Two carloads of hogs were shipped out this morning and owing to the hot weather these were weighed at night.

ONE DEAD SEVERAL MISSING IN FIRE

By United Press.
Scranton, Pa., July 12.—One known dead and several missing are the known fatalities in a fire which destroyed a hotel and several residences at Duquesne near here, the blaze rapidly getting beyond control.

VISITORS ENTERTAINED AT THE RIDDLE HOME.

Mrs. F. E. Riddle and daughter, Miss Frances, entertained Mrs. Donnelly-Reid, Misses Frances Donnelly, Nina Penn, Janet Stuart and Dorothy Henaley and Mrs. C. E. Henaley of Oklahoma City, and Miss Dorothy Smith of Lawton, who assisted in the entertainment, "Fads and Fancies," at the ball park Monday night. Misses Penn and Stuart will remain for a visit of several days. Mrs. Donnelly-Reid and Miss Donnelly returned home today, and the other guests left for their home yesterday afternoon.

\$1,000 IS ADDED TO BUILDING

Domestic Science Equipment Being Installed at Oklahoma College for Women Adds Largely to Efficiency of Institution

Workmen are completing installation work on the new domestic science equipment at the Oklahoma College for Women which makes the college laboratories among the best equipped in the southwest. Accommodations are being arranged that will more than double the capacity of the domestic science department, and at a cost of \$1,000.

One additional room has been fitted out for advanced work in domestic science. There are eleven tables, each of which will accommodate two women at a time, and there are all the "accessories" going with the desks making them the best equipment possible for the teaching of the arts of the kitchen.

Each one has a top resembling marble, just as hard and just as easily kept clean. Each has three drawers for the keeping of pots, pans, knives and other utensils of the kitchen, and a little cupboard where each girl's individual equipment may be placed. A gas burner is provided for every student, ovens are provided which can be either left on the burners or removed, and a sink with both hot and cold water will be almost within reach of each girl.

Nether will students have to stand up while they are learning the best methods of broiling and baking and frying and cleaning. A little seat which swings back under the table when not in use is provided for each girl.

Mrs. Zoe Norman, at the head of the domestic science department, has been spending several days supervising the installation.

BARBEE'S SPEAKING DATES.

Representative L. N. Barbee, of Rush Springs, candidate for reelection, announces speaking dates as follows: Naples, Friday, July 14; Tulsa, Saturday, July 15; Muskogee, Friday, July 21; Alex. Saturday, July 22; Bailey, Friday, July 28; Rush Springs Saturday, July 29—all in the afternoon. "I will divide time with opponents and defend my record in the Fifth legislature," said Mr. Barbee.

COLONEL GOETHALS TO RESIGN.

By United Press.
Washington, July 12.—Colonel Goethals, the contractor of the Panama canal, is expected to resign as governor of the canal zone today.

CONTEST CASE IS STILL ON

Bankers Cannot Form Clear Opinion as to Authority of All Portions of Will of the Late Elizabeth J. Skaggs

Three bankers who have been placed upon the witness stand as experts in the will contest case which is being tried in the county court, were uncertain as to the genuineness of a portion of the will of the late Elizabeth Skaggs, especially that part wherein the name of the beneficiary, George H. Masoner, was inserted at a point where an erasure may have been made.

Up to date the three experts, Roy C. Smith, cashier of the Chickasha National bank, M. F. Courtney, president of the Farmers State bank, and Ben Johnson, vice president of the First National bank, have been introduced at the instance of the counsel for Mrs. Masoner, Messrs. Welborne & Bailey. They declared they noted a similarity in the writing but also seemed to detect a difference.

Other witnesses will take the stand this afternoon and the case promises to become a difficult one to decide.

RECRUITING OFFICER IS DELAYED

Change of Orders for Departure of First Regiment From Fort Sill Gives Time for Recruiting in State

The four volunteers who reported at the Rock Island train yesterday afternoon to meet Lieutenant Embury, the recruiting officer for the Oklahoma National Guard, and A. L. Hollingsworth, who accompanied the young men to the station, were disappointed, the officer failing to make his appearance. Later in the day Mr. Hollingsworth was advised that, owing to a sudden change in plans which will delay the departure of the First Regiment for the front, recruiting will continue for two or three days longer and as a result Lieutenant Embury will remain longer at Shawnee. In the meantime those desiring to join the First Regiment may report to Mr.

BRITISH WAGING WARFARE

Pitched Battle for Possession of Important Point Follows Strong German Reinforcements Northeast of Albert

STARVING POLAND IS CONTESTED POINT

Ambassador Gerard Unable to Bring Germany and England Together; Allies Make Important Captures in Offensive

By Ed Keen.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

London, July 12.—A pitched battle for the possession of important points northeast of Albert today followed the arrival of strong German reinforcements. The German war office announced today that the fighting has continued practically uninterrupted since Monday. The fighting is especially heavy near Contalmaison.

General Haig admits that the Germans gained some of the lost ground between Mametz and the Trones woods last night.

Demands Information.

By United Press.
London, July 12.—Sir Edward Carson today threatened to move an adjournment of the house of commons early next week unless important information was forthcoming regarding the situation in Mesopotamia.

Premier Asquith replied that the time was not opportune to discuss that question.

Will Appeal for Poland.

By United Press.
Washington, July 12.—President Wilson today indicated to a delegation representing a Polish organization that if all other measures fail he will make a personal appeal to the monarchs of the belligerent countries to save Poland from starvation.

Germans Bombard English Town.

By United Press.
London, July 12.—An enemy submarine bombarded a town on Southampton Harbor, two hundred and twenty miles north of London, last night, killing one woman.

Capture Big Booty.

By United Press.
Paris, July 12.—The allies, since the beginning of their offensive, have captured twenty-three villages and have taken 19,000 prisoners, 104 cannon and several hundred machine guns, the war office announced today.

There was no action on either side of the Somme river last night.

COLLINS TO WICHITA.

O. B. Collins, former manager of the Turner Produce company, returned yesterday from Wichita, where he has accepted the management of another produce house. He is making arrangements to move his family there.

LEAVE ON CAMPING TRIP.

Mrs. H. F. Gorman and daughter, Miss Dorothy, Mrs. Ed Ringer and daughter, Miss Joy, and Ed Gilkey and Looney Wallace left early this morning on an overland trip to the Wichita mountains, where they expect to camp over Sunday.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Oklahoma.
Tonight and Thursday, unsettled.
Local Temperature.
During 24 hours ending 8 a. m. today:
Maximum, 109; minimum, 67.

Hollingsworth for further information and to arrange in advance for transportation.

BATTLE IS RAGING IN ZACATECAS

Carrancista Army Attacks Villista Forces at Sombrerete Under Calixto Contreras and General Palizo

CARRANZA OFFICER REPORTED CAPTURED

General Enriquez, Sent to Replace General Trevino at Chihuahua, is Reported Captured by Villa Forces and Executed

By United Press.

El Paso, Tex., July 12.—Carrancistas under General Garcia today attacked the Villista army under General Contreras and Palizo at Sombrerete, an important mining town in the western portion of Zacatecas and near the city of Durango. The battle was still raging according to the last reports which have been received by General Jacinto Trevino.

An unconfirmed rumor is in circulation here to the effect that General Enriquez, who had been sent by Carranza to replace General Trevino at Chihuahua, had been captured by Villistas and executed.

Will Arrange Militia.

By United Press.
San Antonio, Tex., July 12.—The war department today informed General Funston that General Bliss is on his way to San Antonio to arrange the militia tactically along the border. Only the New York and Pennsylvania troops are arranged.

RECRUITING CONTINUES IN STATES

Orders Issued that National Guard Officers Drafted into Federal Service Take Charge of Militia

By United Press.
Washington, July 12.—The war department today issued orders to the effect that National Guard officers who have been drafted into the federal service as recruiting officers, shall take charge of militia recruiting agencies throughout the country.

DEATH OF FARMER.

J. L. Harris, aged 82, died yesterday afternoon at his home, three miles west of Chickasha. He was the father of Mrs. Earl Eldredge of this city. He also has a brother, G. B. Harris, and a married daughter, at Amber, and a son, Charles F., located at Henrietta. The last named son had not been heard from early this afternoon and the other members of the family are awaiting his message before making funeral arrangements.

ECONOMIC CLUBS MEET.

Mrs. Nettie Corryell was called to Chickasha today to attend two interesting meetings which will be held there this afternoon. The Home Economics club for women, which at present has a membership of nine, will meet at the home of Mrs. John Leuts. The Girls club, having a working force of thirty, includes boys engaged in poultry raising. The girls, arrayed in neat white aprons and caps, take instruction in canning and in making better bread.